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AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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TAG: AFSP, IZ

SUBJECT: AP TICKER FOR BAGHDAD

1. USINT UNDERSTANDS FROM ASSOCIATED PRESS BUREAU CHIEF IN BEIRUT FRANK K. HAWKINS THAT EMBASSY TEHRAN HAS RECENTLY SUBSCRIBED TO AP TICKER. IF USINT COULD SUBSCRIBE TO THIS SERVICE IT WOULD GO LONG WAY TOWARD DIMINSHING INFORMATIONAL ISOLATION THAT IS SERIOUS OBSTACLE TO BAGHDAD'S REPORTING. WE UNDER STAND THAT COST OF SERVICE IS ONLY 200 DOLLARS PER MONTH IF USG INSTALLS NECESSARY RECEIVING EQUIPMENT.

2. COULD TEHRAN PLEASE PROVIDE USINT AND DEPT WITH DETAILS ON AP TICKER SERVICE AND EVALUATION OF USEFULNESS OF SERVICE TO SUBSTANTIVE REPORTING OFFICERS.
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